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Subject: Re: Public Documents

Hi Debbie.

Sorry for the delay in getting back to you. I left early on Thursday and was out on Friday. I am well albeit rather busy as I'm sure you are too. Andy left some rather large shoes to be filled but I know you'll do a great job there. I hope you are managing to find some time to enjoy your summer while you're taking on your new job.

I have to admit I'm not certain about what is physically in the public repositories regarding the Passaic. We haven't sent anything specifically related to this action just yet. I left a VM for David Kluesner to touch base on what might be there for the Passaic in general, but I don't think you'll find what you're looking for since we've probably only sent particular documents which needed public review at the time. As far as the background data for this action, we relied on all of the previous studies that have been done in the river. The data for those studies are most easily retrieved off of the ourpassiac.org website, although we also have hard copies of all that information in our site repository in the EPA Records Center here in NY. Since we are still very early on in the process we have not put an Administrative Record in the public repositories just yet. My understanding of this process so far (I'm still getting caught up on everything that's involved in an EE/CA), is that we will definitely have the full administrative record in the public repositories before the EE/CA goes out for public review. However, at this time we have posted the EE/CA approval memo to the Passiac website. If you'd like to come in to look through the site files let me know and I can set up an appointment for you. I hope this helps clarify things a bit. If not, let me know and we can discuss this further.

Have a good day.

Elizabeth

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Liz

Hope you are well, I just spoke to Joe Cosentino to get an update on the implementation of the Tierra AOC. He indicated that the documents supporting the AOC are now available in the site file at the Newark Public Library, but to double check with you. Are those background docs publically available now?

Thanks, Debbie

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